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AND FILTER MEDIUM

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 4, 2008, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.